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In re Application of

Nobuyuki Enomoto, et al.

Serial No.: 10/642,481

Group Art Unit: 2442

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Examiner: Biagini, Christopher D

For: NETWORK SYSTEM, LEARNING BRIDGE NODE, LEARNING METHOD AND
ITS PROGRAM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 27, 2008 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 3-9, 11-15, 18-24, 26-30, 33-39, and 41-45 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. No new matter is added.

Remarks begin at page 9 of this paper.